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"Capt. Dehloff...told The News he knew nothing about any vandalism being committed during the search.

--Ann Arbor News, November 16

CROSS STREET COLLECTIVE RANSACKED

In this case, the police were acting under the legal authority of the court with a warrant. You're liable to have things in a disarrayed manner sometimes during the course of a search."

--Acting Chief E. K. Dehloff

The collective at 605 West Cross was broken into, illegally searched, and vandalized by Ypsilanti police in a series of two raids on Sunday, November 15. Damage to the living quarters area was heavy. It was the first pig trashing of its kind in Washtenaw County in two years. Stark repression has come again to Our Fair City.

Things started happening about 1:45 a.m. Sunday morning when a person not residing in the collective ran in the back door, which was unlocked, and fled into the room occupied by Bill Lynn and Peggy Fry. Neither was in at the time. Ten or fifteen minutes later Ypsi police banged on the front and back doors. When they couldn't rouse anyone immediately, they broke in the doors--which took some doing, as the front door was secured by a heavy bar in steel braces.

The collective members were rousted out of bed at gunpoint and led to the downstairs floor. The police read them their rights to remain silent and to consult an attorney. The group was led into the music room and the doors were guarded. The suspect was handcuffed in a chair. The group disclaimed all knowledge of their "visitor" and of the pile of allegedly stolen property which, the police claim, was found in Bill and Peggy's room. The police alleged the property was stolen from the Purple Haze, a store about half a block from the Cross Street Collective.

The raid appeared to be led by a black policeman, badge number 108. He was quite polite and explained that they were trying to do everything legally--they were in "hot pursuit" of a criminal and therefore needed no warrant to enter.



CITY LAW DOES NOT PERMIT PIGS ON THE STREET

Michigan state law says that "hot pursuit" means just that. The police did not chase after the fugitive, but rather got information from witnesses on the street that he had run into the collective. A search warrant was required, and everything done without a warrant that night was illegal.

All people were required to supply identification. No one was permitted to leave the music room except when accompanied by a policeman.

This means that all persons present had been arrested --deprived of their freedom.

They then asked whose room it was that the suspect had been found in with the supposedly stolen goods. Bill and Peggy said it was their room. They were handcuffed and the police said they would be taken to the Ypsi pig station for questioning, although they would not necessarily be charged with anything.

It was now about 2:20. Badge 108 said the police were preparing to search the whole house for "stolen property, including narcotics or other contraband." He was asked "Then you are conducting an 'exploratory search'?" 108 said "Yes, but if we find anything we might not seize it."

Exploratory searches are illegal. Police may search without a warrant only for the "fruits of crime" in the immediate vicinity of a suspect. And they certainly may not search for anything they care to just because they have entered a dwelling.

Meanwhile, the Ypsi police had called the campus police. Officers Larry Matthewson, J. E. Markwell, and John Adams entered the house. Next, 108 said that the members could accompany police on the individual room searches. But instead, a few minutes later a couple of pigs conducted the searches on the upper floors quietly and quickly (and inefficiently, we might add) on the ruse that they were going upstairs to make a phone call. No damage was done on this first house search.

It was now about 3:00, and things were beginning to loosen up a good deal. 108 said they obviously wouldn't arrest everyone in the house, and was fairly convinced that the people there had been innocent victims of circumstances. People were given semi-free run of the house. Coffee and Kool-Aid (non-electric) were prepared. Several interesting raps with various policemen developed.

Karl Fink, an assistant county prosecutor, appeared briefly at the front door. He said that the searching had gone far enough, but the pigs continued. After that, Matthewson and Markwell, along with some Ypsi police, went into the basement, where some of the work on the *Second Coming* is done. Their attitude was that anything which members couldn't prove was theirs would be assumed "stolen property" and liable for confiscation, which is obvious legal nonsense. David Cahill almost lost his Selectric typewriter, costing \$550, until he somehow came up with the original purchase invoice which, luckily, had the serial number of the machine on it. They sniffed around at some mimeograph paper and whatnot, but finally decided to seize only the two mimeo machines, which happened to have EMU number plates on them. These, they said, were "sure" were stolen. Apparently they had been invited over to the collective to rummage around to their little hearts' content. So, since nobody in the basement at the time could tell positively whose they were, they were packed up and removed. No receipt for them was given.

This action was almost certainly outright theft. Not only was there no warrant to seize, but also goods are not presumed stolen just because clear title cannot be immediately produced.

Later on Sunday, Peter Murdock brought over to the collective the sales slip reproduced elsewhere on this page, showing clearly that he had purchased one of the mimeo machines stolen by the police. No one knows where the other machine came from, but that doesn't mean it was stolen.

Also, a picture of Matthewson which had been on the very top of a stack of pictures for the *Second Coming* turned up missing the next day. The paper still has the negative; the picture will be run in the next issue.

By 4:15 a.m. the police had left the house, and the doors were secured as best they could be in their condition. At 5:10 Bill and Peggy returned; they had been released without charges after questioning.

A close inspection of the house later Sunday morning revealed that the pigs, while searching for "stolen property," had opened two suitcases downstairs and numerous boxes.



The second act of the tragic farce began that evening about 6 or 7. Time reports differ because everyone was too shocked to look at their watches. Someone near the door shouted "Pigs!" and the next second the damaged fortifications behind the front door were destroyed once more by porcine feet. This time there were about 15 Ypsi pigs, plus a scattering of Washtenaw County deputy sheriffs. They were armed with submachine guns, carbines, rifles--the whole trip. There was even an occasional piece of riot gear. The collective had been preparing what would have been a delicious dinner of pork chops, but it was ruined because the people were herded again into one room--the dining room this time.

This was illegal. Police must knock and give the occupants a reasonable time to answer the door.

The excuse for all this was a search warrant for the "House at 605 W. Cross" authorizing the searching for and seizing of 25 Sheffield wristwatches! The watches had been stolen the night before from the Clothes Horse, which is a store close to both the Purple Haze and the collective, and which was robbed at about the same time as the Purple Haze. That was the reason given in the warrant for searching the collective.

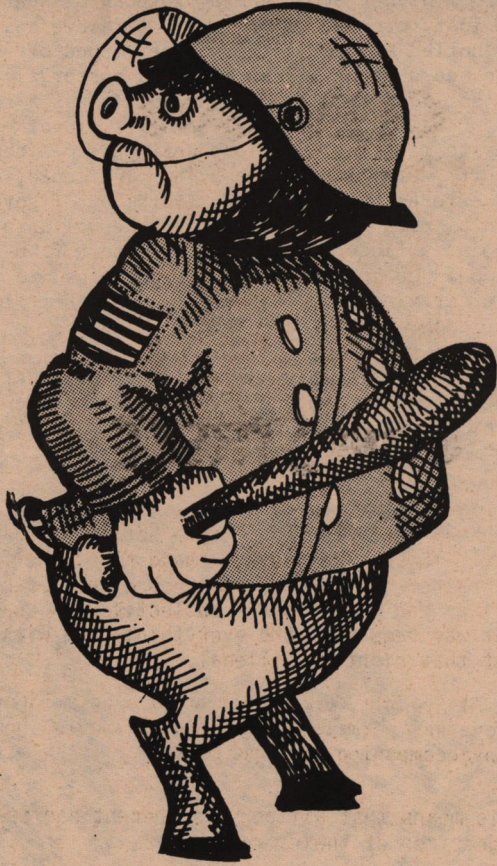
The warrant for the whole house was read to one person. But the collective is divided up into separate apartments, which by law are separate dwellings. The pigs thought that by reading a warrant good only for common areas they could search private rooms.

Private rooms require warrants specifying each one. All searches of private rooms carried out that night were illegal.

This time the pigs were not in so pleasant a mood. 108 was there, looking decidedly unhappy at the whole thing.

Two teams of pigs conducted the search for the watches while the rest stood around looking tough. One team, composed of badges 112 and 125, searched the basement and main floor. They were fairly gentle and actually spent much of their time looking in places where watches could be. They didn't pull books off of shelves. They did make lots of nasty comments like "This place makes me want to vomit," and "What filth." Also, they read private correspondence and spent a good deal of time paging through underground papers and magazines in the basement.

This is illegal and an invasion of privacy. Policemen may not inspect places where the contraband could not possibly be; "one may not look for an elephant in a cigar box."



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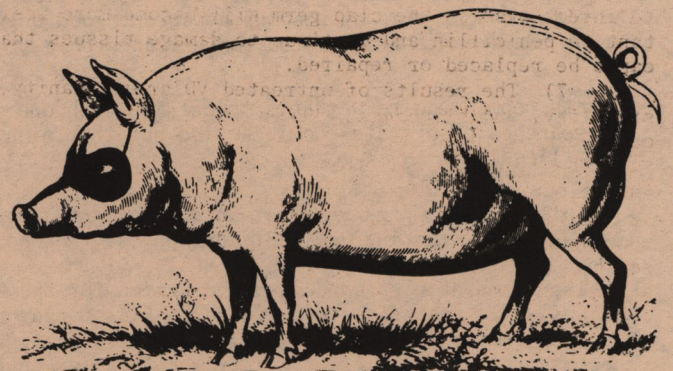
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ONE NATION UNDER LAW



Upstairs, however, was a completely different trip. The two pigs who searched the bedrooms and bathroom didn't even make a pretense of searching; they just tore the rooms apart. Drawers and contents were hurled around; posters were ripped off walls (ever see a watch hidden behind a poster?!); books were spilled; bedding overturned. It was a real pig orgy. The partitions sealing off two door entrances so as to make the divisions between some rooms more definite were kicked down. The pigs could, of course, have entered by the regular doors, but figured it would be more fun to go through the walls instead! A Japanese lantern chandelier was torn from one room and would up in the next. The two pigs did this while carrying with them rifles and other firearms. Their badge numbers are known.

Needless to say, this was malicious destruction of property and completely illegal. And since the bedrooms were not covered by the warrant it was even more so.



The watches were not found. The pigs confiscated--get this!--one reel of videotape which they found up in the attic and which had been left there by a previous tenant. They gave no reason for this, but they did at least give the collective a receipt. They said if we found out who it belonged to he could come and get it.

Again, this was illegal confiscation of goods not covered by the warrant.

The pigs left about nine o'clock. Immediately afterward, the camera crew which had worked that afternoon recording evidence of the pigs' first visit returned and took the pictures of the new vandalism. Many people from the community, including eight or nine faculty members, were called in to witness the fact of destruction.

And people started cleaning up the house.

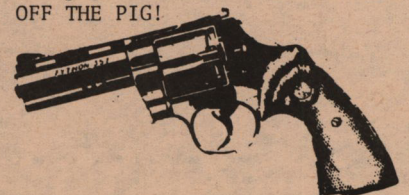
Monday afternoon warrants were issued for the arrest of Peggy Fry and Bill Lynn on bullshit charges of "possession of stolen property." They had not yet turned themselves in at press time.

Monday the first wave of publicity about the trashing hit the *Ann Arbor News*. In response to the collective's news release, Captain E. K. Dehloff, acting chief of the Ypsi pig department, said "In this case, the police were acting under the legal authority of the court with a warrant. You're liable to have things in a disarrayed manner sometimes during the course of a search." Sure.

Needless to say, various kinds of legal action are in process against this pig atrocity. Full details in the next issue. OFF THE PIG!



So where are the watches?



VD.

Our culture advocates sexual freedom and controlling what happens to our own bodies, but too many of us are ignorant about birth-control, abortion, and venereal disease. (gonorrhea, clap, or syphilis.) VD is one of the most dangerous communicable diseases of our culture, yet there are all kinds of myths and misconceptions and just plain ignorance concerning it. We must educate ourselves about our bodies to truly control them.

The facts about VD are:

1) You can get VD only from fucking (or other forms of skin-to-skin contact) with someone who is already infected. Contrary to the myth, people do not get VD from toilet seats, door knobs, etc. If you hear this excuse, it is a ruse to cover someone's guilt feelings.

2) No amount of washing, scrubbing, etc., will get rid of VD, or prevent it.

3) A person can catch both clap and syphilis at the same time.

4) You never become immune to VD.

5) The only way to be sure you have clap is to be checked by a doctor--this usually means a pelvic examination for women and a sperm sample from men. A blood sample is taken for syphilis.

6) If you don't get treatment you will continue to infect others, the clap germ will become more resistant to penicillin and continue to damage tissues that can't be replaced or repaired.

7) The results of untreated VD are: insanity, sterility, and blindness. VD in pregnant women can cause babies to be born stillborn, blind or defective.

The signs of clap usually show up 3-8 days after infection. These signs are:

1) Men: burning when urinating, and/or discharge of whitish color from penis. (I've had it described to me as: "When you're taking a P it's like having a hot soldering iron rammed up your schmuck!")

2) Women: symptoms often missing. 9 out of 10 women have no symptoms. MEN--this is an important fact to note--if you care anything about your sisters, and your community, let your sisters know immediately if you think you have clap. It might be embarrassing or a hassle, but the important thing is to let them know so they can get treatment.

The signs of syphilis are:

1) 10-90 days: men usually have a small sore where infected. Again, women get fucked over because the sore is usually in their reproductive organs.

2) 1 1/2--6 months: sore disappears but germ is still in the body. Syph does not go away by itself. You may have a low fever, sores, rash, falling hair, but many times none of these show up.

3) After two years: germs infect blood, bones, eyes, heart, brain---cause crippling, blindness, and death.

WHAT DO YOU DO IF YOU THINK YA GOT IT?

DO NOT be afraid, guilty, or sorry for yourself.

Do not be intimidated by honky self-righteous nurses and doctors when you go in for tests. Most important, contact everyone you may have infected and STOP BALLING! FREE OR CHEAP VD TREATMENT ANN ARBOR AREA Ozone House is moving to 302 E. Liberty this week and opening a free clinic there in approximately 2 weeks. Good people, run by the community, no hassles. 769-6540 Planned Parenthood 313 N. 1st Street 663-3306 Sliding scale--charge based on how much money you have. WAHTENAW COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT 663-7511 ext. 231 Contact P. Dohm for info on free treatment. I've heard of hassles with these people--use them as a last resort.

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Dorm Fascism

By RICHARD WATSON

What would you do if you came before your friendly local judicial board on some minor rule infraction, attempted to defend yourself, and the board members started making faces at you?

That was the situation faced last November 5 by Elyse Koss, Kurt Schulz, Mark Schecter and Marc Joseph when they tried to challenge the open house policy before the Phelps-Sellers J-Board. Elyse had been apprehended by her RA for having Mark in her room after 11--his criminal act was copying some biology notes.

The setting and what transpires during the hearing must enhance the dignity of the student.

--'HANDBOOK

The fun and games began immediately. Schulz, who served as Koss' representative along with Schecter, moved that Marc Joseph be allowed to tape record the session, since it was open to the public. His motion was denied by board member Stuart Kaufman, despite the fact that the Phelps-Sellers Bylaws, Article VII, Section 6D, say "A tape recorder shall be used to keep the minutes of all meetings. Tapes shall be kept for a period of one week." The board didn't even have its own recorder--maybe they hadn't read their own bylaws?--and the secretary spent her time doodling. Halfway through the hearing she asked Schecter how he spelled his name!

Any individual who sits in judgment of others assumes considerable responsibility. There exists no greater opportunity on this campus to be of service to one's fellow students than to serve as a member of a judicial body.

--Phelps-Sellers J-Board Handbook

The J-Board didn't even want to allow the students to say anything at all--except maybe to admit guilt. When Schulz began to make some preliminary motions challenging the Board's procedures, they tried to shut him up. It was only when he quoted the rule that says "The accused shall be given full opportunity to be heard and to present his side of the case" that he was allowed to move 1) that the University present its side of the case independently rather than having the J-Board serve as both prosecutor and judge; 2) that the J-Board's operating rules should be made public; 3) that the University present its case first, including its evidence, instead of forcing the student to respond to an unsubstantiated charge; 4) that the University has to present more evidence than the student; 5) that a tape recorder should be allowed in so that the students could appeal on the record if need be; 6) that preliminary motions should be on the record; and 7) that the hearing be an open one.

"Out of Order!"

When Schulz began to discuss his first motion in detail, the board members started shouting "out of order" and denied the need for the motion. They never allowed Schulz to explain himself, but rather insisted that Koss immediately say why Schecter was in her room. Schulz said he had a right to be fully heard, and demanded that he be allowed to look at the board's rules during a brief recess. The board recessed to decide whether or not to allow him to have his recess! They returned and denied his motions to see their rules.

At this point Schecter took over the defense--Schulz' mind had been completely blown. The RA who caught Koss said she had been "warned several times" about violating the open house policy. Schecter objected that her previous conduct was irrelevant, and that she was only being tried for one offense. The J-Board didn't agree with that.

In this service the judiciary member will find himself a part of the total educational process and may in a most significant way help students who appear before him to grow in self control and in understanding and accepting the responsibility for their behavior.

--Phelps-Sellers J-Board Handbook

The students had come prepared with a list of challenges to the open house policy itself, but they were never allowed to present them. These included 1) the policy infringes on tenants' legal rights to enjoy their property and the company of others, not to mention the pursuit of happiness; 2) the policy discriminated against women without cause, since women's visiting hours are shorter than men's; 3) there is no justification for having the rule at all. But when Schecter asked if the board had the power to interpret rules he was asked "Are you trying to make a mockery of this board?" and his question was ignored. The board denied that it was a court of law, and also denied a request that the minutes the secretary had taken up to that point be read back. Mainly because there weren't any.

Right in the middle of the argument, the board chairman blurted out "Well, do you want a written or oral verdict?: Rather stunned, the students asked if they could at least make a final statement. This request was denied also! The verdict: Koss was to be placed on dorm probation until December 19.

Her case has been accepted for an appeal hearing before the All Residence Hall J-Board. The hearing should be in a week or so.

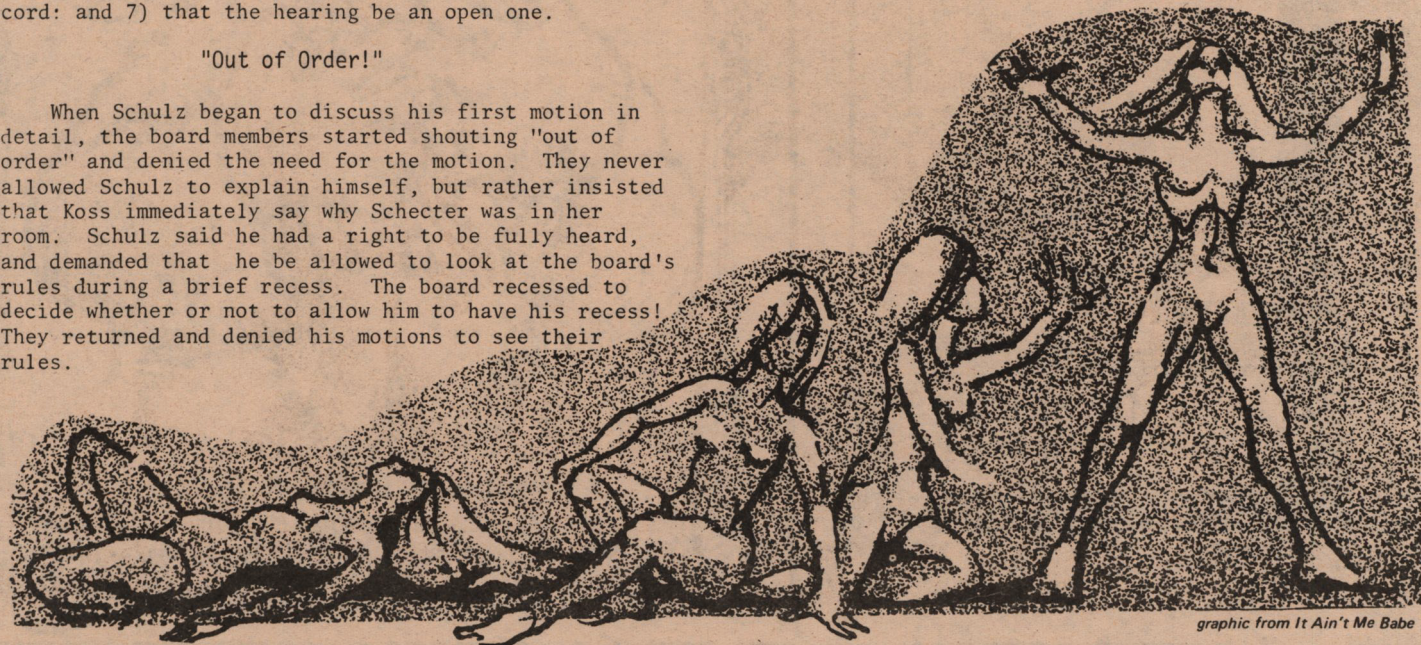
What Is A Judicial Board?

The nonsense that Koss went through is typical. J-boards are set up to oppress, not to give justice or provide a forum for discovering the truth. They are tools of the Administration.

Rules and regulations of the University are a definite necessity, but just why they are is not often clear.

--Handbook

Only a certain type of student runs for J-Board. He or she is the "control addict"--someone with a need to rule over others. He often sees himself as a future administrator, and is only too willing to imitate head advisers and other authoritarians.



graphic from It Ain't Me Babe

The University retains the final jurisdiction in all cases and indeed retains the right to permit student judicial boards to exist or not to exist.
--Handbook

The rules students have crammed down their throats without their consent. The procedures which are written down are strict enough. But when the people who man the system are so stupid that they don't (or can't) even follow their own rules, it becomes intolerable--students *seem* to have the right to fair hearings, but in practice you might as well be in a Kafkaesque nightmare. Because you are.

Koss and the others are not only appealing their case, but are trying to prevent a similar travesty of justice from happening again to others. They are filing a motion asking the All Residence Hall J-Board to suspend the powers of the Phelps-Sellers J-Board, and are also trying to get the board members impeached.

If you want to get in on this show, or help challenge rules before your own judicial board, call 487-3672 and ask for Kurt or Mark.

Signs posted in Hill: The Control Addict at Work

To the women of Hill Hall, your J-Board is an active body and very ready to take prompt action against anyone who violates the open house policies. So for your own sake and the sake of our dorm and its open house policy COOL IT NOW!

Your Chief Justice,
Debra Gooden

The open house conditions are improving greatly/ But we still have a few girls who still have not realized what can happen. I'd like to thank those responsible young ladies who are trying to keep our policy and ask them to let their friends in on the secret!

Hill Chief Justice
Debra Gooden



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We thank all those people (and we're happy to say there were quite a few) who spent their energies writing to and for this issue of the SECOND COMING. As you all know, we had quite a busy week keeping our shit together thru all the ridiculous pig hassles. At this time we might say we're lucky to even have a paper for the people of this community to read. Special thanks goes to the people who stayed up all night struggling to get this paper out on the streets where it belongs. And SPECIAL thanks to you, our reader, who must be the one to bear with us thru a lot of empty space, which under normal circumstances, wouldn't have been wasted.



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TRIBAL RUMBLINGS

RIP-OFFS

During the summer our community experiences a large number of sporadic ripoffs. At least 15 homes of local freaks were robbed by a gang of hoodlum punks whose motive was apparently to support their heroin habits.

Freak house after freak house was singled out by this gang, who entered with sawed-off shotguns and rifles, beating brothers and sisters with rubber mallets and gun butts. The mob would usually appear at the door and one or two people would ask for someone who live there to get in the door.

Toward the end of the summer the ripoffs tailed off, partly because almost everyone in the community was ripped off at least once. One house this summer was robbed three times.

During the past two weeks the ripoffs have started again, with at least four having been reported to the *Second Coming*. In one job the thugs netted over \$5,000, and in others stereos and dope were lost. They seem to be well-planned.

Robberies are being committed by both black and white hoods. People in the community should be very careful who they let into their houses. Perhaps you should

get good sturdy locks for your doors and get some kind of peephole so that you can see who it is that you're letting in. The people robbing us are armed, so it might be advisable to get a gun or some other means of protection.

When the pigs were called in this summer to help stop the rip-offs they seemed pleased that the thugs were directing their attention toward freaks. So there is little police cooperation in stopping these punks.

It is believed that the robberies are part of the increased heroin addiction in our community and others, and people should be aware of the effects of the drug and the ripoffs combined.

Anyone who has been robbed or has any information concerning them should contact us at 483-0647, or write us at Box 491, Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197.

A community meeting will be held this week to discuss all types of ripoffs, including the raids on the Cross Street Collective. The meetings will be announced secretly throughout the community to avoid possible pig infiltration.

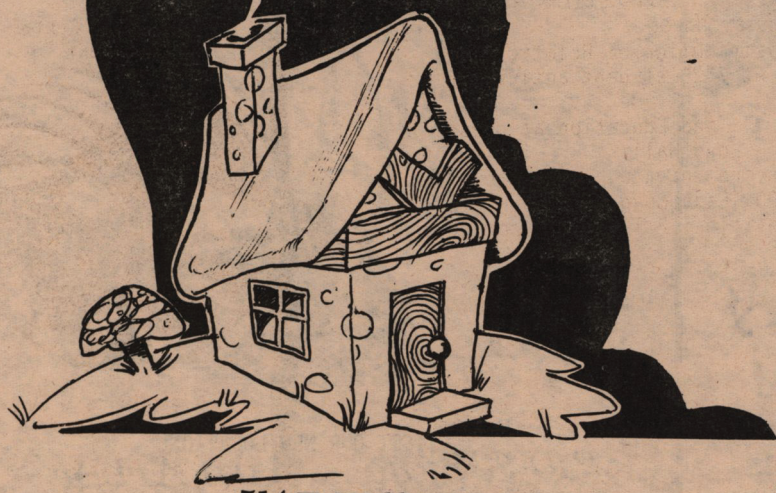
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EATEN SHIT



For years the radicals have been telling students that they are eating shit. Last week students in Brown Hall faced the reality when they found crawling insects in their dorm food. Over 100 women complained to the housing office about the garbage served to them every day. The housing office replied that if they can eat it, so can the students. To shut the students up, the housing office told the women that there would be an immediate investigation. Getting little help from the housing office, a resident of the hall took a sample of the insect to the lab where it was analyzed as a dermestid beetle, which is an insect that feeds on plant and other organic matter. Eating shit is just part of the whole trip which is forced on the freshmen every year. It's time for the people to stop eating shit and start rising up angry.

No more shit in our
community.

Free all dorm prisoners!

COMMUNITY NEWS

SDS

Last Tuesday night SDS held its first meeting in a year and a half in the Ypsi community. The purpose of the meeting was to determine what direction SDS should take in its actions in the Ypsi area. As was expected, there were a dozen or so political factions running down their shit and nothing was really resolved. YSA stressed the importance of supporting and informing people about various national and international happenings, such as the action Rennie Davis and the boys are planning in Washington D.C. on May 1st to shut down Washington if pig Nixon doesn't stop the war. Old SDS people were primarily concerned with creating a group which would be effective enough to take concrete actions in the community while remaining open enough to be able to educate and work with some of the brothers and sisters who are new to the ranks who know things are not quite right but are not

quite sure of the nature and sources of the repression and exploitation around the community and around the world.

A lot of people were present but as more and more people began running down what they thought SDS should be about, some of the brothers and sisters split. THIS WAS NOT COOL! If an effective organization is to be built, it will take work, not only in the form of concrete street actions, but also in building and organizing a group that will have their shit together once they get into the streets. MEETINGS ARE ESSENTIAL IN GETTING IT TOGETHER. The thing about this meeting that was far out was that there were a whole lot of people who came 'cause they knew something had to be done. Next Tuesday's meeting at 8:00 in the McKenney Union alumni lounge will tighten things up a whole lot more with putting together some goals and actions. POWER TO THE PEOPLE WHO WANT TO DETERMINE THEIR OWN DESTINIES.

people's conspiracy

"Traffic coming to Eastern Michigan University, Sunday November 8th, Bowen Field House. For the bargain price of \$3.00, \$4.00, and \$5.00."

Problem: Most of the brothers and sisters in W-odstock Nation can't afford that money to see their music.

Solution: On Sunday the conspiracy act known as the Mad Stammers met and decided that the brothers and sisters of our community couldn't afford to be ripped off again by the hip-capitalist pig UAB, the EMU University Activities Board.

The Mad Stammers decided to meet the challenge, and once again the spirit of the people was proven to be stronger than the man's technology. Information was received from the PIA (People's Intelligence Agency) at 4 p.m. and was acted upon immediately. Rumor has it

that 600 brothers and sisters made their way in to enjoy their music for free. A rubber stamp was made imitating the one used to stamp the hands of ushers and people who set up chairs. Also, as expected, there was a gate crash that admitted another 100 people.

The only good music is free music. My dad says that this is a free country and "free" means you don't have to pay.

Melanie is coming and the people are ready for another fine concert. The Conspiracy is widespread throughout Ypsi and all of Babylon. The Conspiracy is part of the people's international struggle for freedom and liberation from the ruling class. Remember, for the next concert: DARE TO STRUGGLE, DARE TO WIN!



FREE MUSIC

people's conference

Wednesday, November 18, the day after Huey speaks people of the A.A. - Ypsi area will get together to discuss the Revolutionary Peoples Constitutional Convention which will be held in Washington D.C. November 27-29, called for by the Black Panther Party. The purpose of the conference is to educate people and to register them for the conference. We will get together at noon Wed. at 331 Thompson (Cor. of William and Thompson, behind Canterbury house) where speakers from the Detroit NCCF and members of the community will speak. Workshops listed below will happen afterwards (1:00) at...
1. Sexual Self Determination at classroom 6-Lloyd Hall.

2. Third world Liberation at 331 Thompson.
3. Cultural self-determination at Canterbury House.
4. Distribution of Political power at 3529 student activities bldg.
5. Media and Education at classroom 5-Lloyd Hall
6. Environment and health at classroom 20, East Quad.
7. Political Prisoners, Room 3B Union.
8. Self Determination for working people at Smitty's in S. QUAD.
9. High School Liberation in room 26, East Quad.
10. International Solidarity with other International struggles at 331 Thompson.


At 5:00 people will re-assemble to share their ideas from the smaller groups. BE THERE.

walk-in
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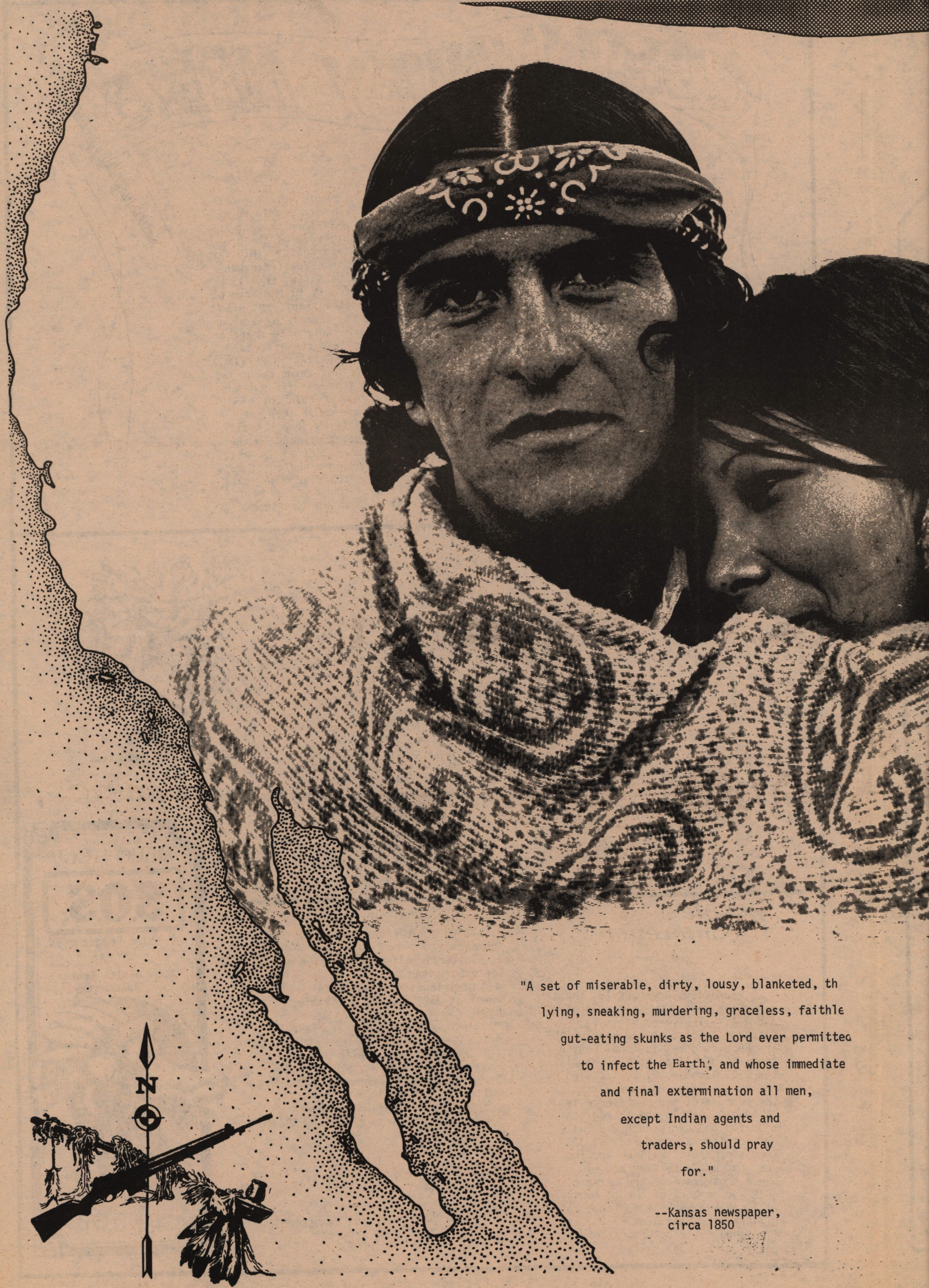
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--Kansas newspaper,
circa 1850



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SISTERHOOD IS POWERFUL!

AN EXEGESIS ON WOMEN'S LIBERATION
*The Women's Caucus Within The Youth
International Party (YIP)*

When in the course of progressive dialectic of history it becomes necessary for people oppressed by caste to off the nuclear family which stabilizes the capitalist, imperialist, military complex economy which of necessity and by its very nature causes the writing of male oriented reformist revisionist opportunist adventurist papers, a decent respect for the opinions of our sisters in struggle, compel us to assume the responsibility of the vanguard. The Women's Liberation Caucus within the Youth International Party, being through a rigorous analysis of the thoughts of Mao, Susan B. Anthony, Che, Lenin, and Groucho, considers itself bound by the historic necessity of becoming the vanguard party of the progressive women's revolution because we fly higher. A revolution being defined as the final process of the analysis of working class and petit bourgeois rivalries for parental and male support, one would therefore show that the Youth International Party, being suppressed in direct proportion to its support of the Third World liberation struggles at home and back home, has the class consciousness to off the class and caste barriers separating themselves from the ruling class and caste.



Fay Stender - People's Lawyer

Fay Stender's life changed drastically when Charles Garry was asked to defend Huey Newton in 1967. "It was right after Huey had been shot," she said. "I met him when he was in the hospital and that was the beginning of my work with prisoners." She is the lawyer whose brilliant legal brief set the Black Panther Party Minister of Defense, Huey P. Newton, free on bail from prison, where he had been sent after being convicted of voluntary manslaughter. He is now awaiting a new trial.

Fay Stender is a people's lawyer, a woman attorney who speaks of her deep commitment to making the world a better place for third world people. Her beliefs come from an intellectual rather than an emotional decision. She isn't a dramatic William Kunstler or a flamboyant Melvin Belli. She's the type of lawyer who works 18 hours a day, mobilizes volunteers to help her, checks and rechecks her homework and doesn't give up.

She now has her own partnership in Berkeley. In her office are posters on the wall of the Soledad Brothers (the three black convicts of are accused of murdering a prison guard); a photograph of George Jackson's younger brother, Jonathan Jackson, who was killed when he helped kidnap a judge at the Marin County courtroom last summer--the shoot-out that helped the pig FBI agents track down our sister Angela Davis.

"I've been working every single minute on George Jackson's case," she said. "I feel it is terribly important because it is a chance for the world to see what an existence in prison is like. George and his

Revisionism teaches us that no sex is sexless until it submerges itself in the teachings of marxist leninist socialist thought in alliance with the regressive forces fostering social change among rank and file on the left.

Trade unionism and its militant allies among male chauvinists dare to struggle, dare to win, but only when cadres among facist progressive rhetoric factionalism class assume solidarity with the oppressed peoples of the world. Marxist leninist cultural nationalism has no truck with the evil capitalist exploiters of the working class vanguard of the revolutionary process as exemplified in the question of women's liberation and its repercussions on the right wing revisionism shown by the proletariat. The Youth International Party is defined as such a party being both youth, international, and a party. This is not to assume, therefore, that the Trotskyite racism among sexist communoanarchists of the center leads to repression by the exploited class, but only given the analysis of Mao, page 398 of the red book, militant socialism is given to be all the power to the people and the liberation struggle among the class interest of the police state.

SCREWEE!

(Society for Condemning the Rape and Exploitation of Women, Etc., Etc.)

SISTERS IN STRUGGLE

co-defendants Fleeta Drumbo and John Cluchette, all black prisoners at Soledad, have been accused of killing a white prison guard. Every day our office gets between 50 to 100 letters and calls--people who say the defendants are innocent. The death of the prison guard followed the killing of three black inmates earlier in the same week--these killings were ruled justifiable homicide. The people who need real media coverage are the blacks and Chicanos, the people in jails, not persons like myself," she insisted. "I see my role as that of a technician in the service of the people."

"I never had the normal feminine pressures on me to grow up and be a housewife," she remembered. "At about high school age I knew there was something wrong with this country, something I wanted to change. But by now I'm not even disillusioned any more. I know all the things about government and justice I learned in school simply aren't true."

Most of her early cases were student activists and draft resisters. She even handled an appeal for student leaders Mario Savio and Jerry Rubin in the Free Speech Movement days. Another of her cases involved the right of a husband to be with his wife in the delivery room--she got a reinterpretation of the rules. She worked for two years with SNCC in a legal capacity. She says she doesn't understand economics enough to say whether she is a Marxist or not. She doesn't attend peace demonstrations regularly because of lack of time, but says "occasionally there's a demonstration I feel everyone ought to go to."

"I feel the days of big demonstrations are over now since the police are willing to shoot to kill."



WE Are the Women that Men Warned Us About!!

page 13

By DEBBIE CARTER

We, the New Nation Sisters, deplore the continuous use of sexist advertisements in the *Echo* to promote consumer goods. We do not feel that the human body, male or female, should be used as a device to draw attention to, and promote, consumer products.

We deplore the use of sexist dialogue in articles, and specifically the Monday review of the Traffic concert where "ol' red shirt got his money's worth after the show."

Also, in the November 7 issue, the advertisement for Dino's Pizza was degrading and revolting. They use sex to sell a product rather than the merit of the product itself. Dino's has written an apology to the women on campus to the *Echo* and has promised that the sexist advertising will not be continued by the company. However, we do not feel that this ad was the sole fault of Dino's. We think the *Echo* is responsible for printing the advertisement, since other sexist ads, including one promoting a trip to Nassau,

are continually printed in that paper.

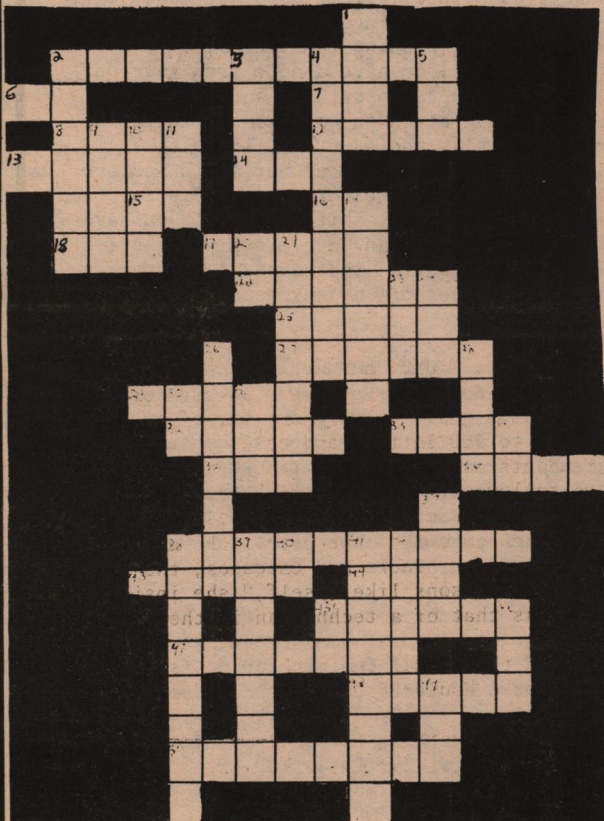
We, the New Nation Sisters, demand an apology from the *Echo*, and demand that in the future it not print such sexist advertisements and articles.

We give fair warning that we will not allow these articles and advertisements to continue without taking action.

(Each week a historical document from other women's liberation groups will be printed. In the last issue of the *Second Coming* we printed the "Redstockings Manifesto" and this week we have an article written by the Women's Caucus of the Youth International Party.)

(Last issue we printed a story on Bernadette Devlin, a sister in struggle from Ireland. Each issue of this paper will contain a brief history of a revolutionary sister.)

* Crossword puzzle by Women's Liberation, Springfield Mass.



DOWN

1. Best birth control device.
2. The family martyr.
3. Female beast of burden (other than woman)
4. A woman is supposed to be a _____ of strength for everyone but herself Or syn. for body of water.
5. Imprisoned in a girdle.
9. Girl raped by Jupiter in his cloud disguise.
10. "Love is a tender _____."
11. What's on the minds of the judges.
17. This year's pageant is a _____ of all the others that came before it.
20. _____ against the wall Miss America.
21. Get a little of this for #31 down.
23. Fill in lly. We don't want to make this too hard.
24. This is laden with mascara, liner, shadow, pencil and false lashes.
26. We would like to interrupt this show to remind you that there's a war in _____.
28. Back.



CONTINUED DOWN

30. Army cop.
31. _____ and order.
34. Patriarchal Egyptian son god.
37. Women are given token freedoms in _____ of a full life.
38. One of American women's main roles (rhymes with name of famous crossword artist)
39. In our society men are expected to be active. Women are expected to be _____.
40. Syn. for cool or hip.
41. Men have a natural _____ to women's work.
42. Join the Women's Liberation movement for a new _____ on life.
45. "To _____ or not to Be".
46. Are you glad you aren't Miss America?
49. The American dream is a big, fat, _____.

ACROSS

2. Symbol of plastic America. (2 words) The star of this show.
6. In memoriam: leader of the Vietnamese revolution.
7. Masc. Spanish word for "the".
8. Average measurement is "35 1/2" at this pageant. (sl.)
12. Cut. (rhymes with cash)
13. Derogatory word for a woman with "loose morals".
14. Bible's stupid caricature of a disobedient woman.
15. J e this to chop wood.
16. Train. (abbrev.)
18. Jack the _____ per.
19. What a man looks for in a woman.
22. Women are _____.
25. When you flirt you act _____.
27. You ask God for "his" forgiveness with this.
29. What the contestants have to do all day long.
32. Opposite of war.
33. What you feel if you don't have a "man".
35. Abbrev. for pop. soap opera, As _____.
36. Fate worse than death.
38. Businessmen capitalize on this Miss America image. That is the correct word.
43. A member of most oppressed group in our society.
44. Cleavage.
45. Everyone has it.
47. We are all _____ in the struggle.
48. What Miss America does for Toni.
50. Who's bored here?

FOOD STAMPS AND UNEEMPLOYMENT!

by Rip M. Off

As we look around us, it is pretty easy to see that this country is fucked up. Capitalism in Amerika is in the process of deteriorating and falling apart. Our brothers and sisters in the third world are driving the exploitative Amerikan corporations out of their countries at a greater rate every day. It is costing billions of dollars yearly to defend these interests, but the capitalists are still losing. This high military ~~expenditure~~ ~~expenditure~~, combined with the shrinking profit ~~margin~~ ~~margin~~ of Amerikan corporate overseas interests, is putting the squeeze on us folks back home. It is getting increasingly difficult for the brothers and sisters to make ends meet. Pig Nixon has put into effect his "controlled recession" economic policy which keeps a high percent of the work force unemployed so the rich capitalists can stabilize their shrinking profit margins. Shit, even if you are crazy enough to want a job, in the death machine, you can't get one!

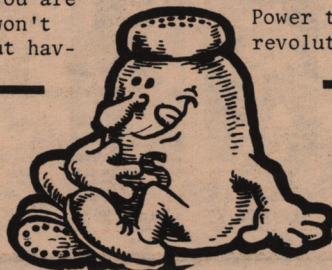
There is a temporary solution, however. It will get you free money and food on the one hand, while on the other hand you will be non-productive, thus helping to smash the capitalist economy by draining their resources.

FOOD STAMPS

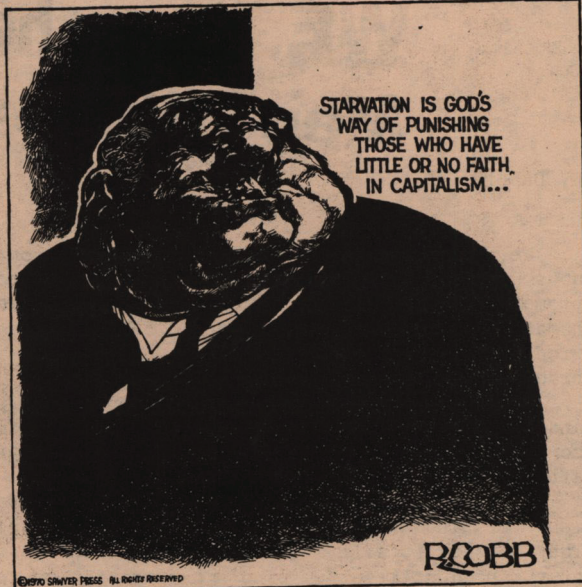
Food stamps are one of the ways the Amerikan government buys off the poor people. Someone with a full belly is less likely to pick up the gun than one who is starving. All you have to do to get food stamps is to be poor. You can be eligible for food stamps if your monthly income is less than \$210. Being a student doesn't matter. What does matter is how you are living and who you are living with. Up until last month, it was relatively easy for an individual to get \$28 worth of food stamps for fifty cents, by simply saying he was broke and ate by himself. Now it is more difficult. Individual applicants (one person living and cooking by himself), must live alone and have his or her own cooking facilities. This must be backed up by evidence from the landlord. This is still possible, however. An easier way to get food stamps is for your house to go down as a family. The only drawback to this is that all the incomes in the house are grouped together as one, that one being the family income, which could limit the amount of free stamps that you get. If, for instance, you have four people in your house with one person making good bread, it would be best for those not working to register and forget about the worker, (he just drops in occasionally, in case they ask), as his income would limit the number of stamps received. If these three people had little or no income, they would receive about \$80 worth of stamps per month. If they applied with the worker, and his income were over \$210 a month, they would receive from 0 to \$45 a month. There are partial deductions off of the income for rent, utilities, etc. AS EACH CASE IS JUDGED INDIVIDUALLY, YOU CAN'T TELL WHAT YOU WILL GET UNTIL YOU GET IT. Here are a few things to do and facts to know before applying...

1. Get an unemployment card from the Michigan Employment Security Comm. If you are only going to apply for food stamps, you can tell them you are a student, but want to work a shift that won't clash with your schedule. Don't worry about hav-

FOR FOOD STAMPS
Washtenaw county bldg.
Huron and Main St. A.A.
down the basement



FOR UNEMPLOYMENT
Michigan Employment
Security commission
E. Cross thru Depotown
Ypsilanti



ing to go to work, though, as this place can't even find jobs for people who are actually looking for them.

2. Bring a rent receipt and proof of residence for all applying.
3. Bring a bankbook, checkbook, etc. to verify your savings. You can have up to \$1,000 in liquid assets (cash, etc.). This does not count cars and other personal belongings.
4. You have to have cooking facilities.
5. You have to be 21 or have a note from your parents saying they don't support you and why.
6. Most of us have attended college and in college you learn how to play the game, if little else.

The food stamp program is a very bureautic and overburdened program. It is next to impossible for them to check out all the small shit. Do what you have to. Remember, the Amerikan Govt. is ripping off people all over the world, including people here. It is cool to rip them off by any means possible.

UNEMPLOYMENT

If you have worked 14 or more weeks at a job during the last year, you are eligible. You must be willing and able to take a job in the same or similar position that you were in before. Don't seat about going back to work. There aren't any jobs., and the unemployment people don't send you out. Many of the single brothers and sisters are receiving \$53 a week, and you can get more if you are married and have a kid or two. Here again, the benefits vary and the best thing you can do is to go down and apply. Here are some facts.....

1. If you worked 14 weeks or more, you get 3 weeks of benefits for every 4 weeks worked.
2. If you are single and made over \$90 a week, you get \$53 a week.
3. Student are not eligible unless they are available for work any shift. So, students, you will have to be pretty sharp to get by this obstacle, but it can be and has been done.
4. Even if you quit your job or were fired, you are still eligible. You simply have to wait 6 weeks before you start getting the bread!

Unemployment is cool. If one works it right, he can work for a few months, get 20 weeks of benefits, apply for a 13 week extension, and end up working only a few months out of the year. It is advisable to get more information and really have your shit together when applying for stamps and unemployment. This article is just to let you know it is possible and even quite easy to do. The author's house is currently on both food stamps and unemployment. Power to the people who help themselves and the revolution.

Inside Dope

THE HIGH SOCIETY

It may appear that dope is scarce in our community. This is due to the enormous rip-offs (pg. 5) and the bust scares that have been circulating through the community. It would be wise for people to clean their homes and dorm rooms during the coming holiday weekends. It is a practice for the pigs to make raids during these weekends cause nobody is around to witness the rip-offs when everyone goes home. People in the dorm should take their tokens with them as RA's and other pigs make it a practice to snoop around while you are gone. Dig- take your dope with you.

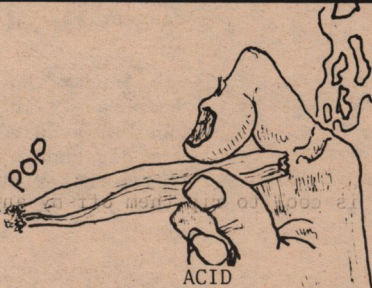


Another word of wisdom, this week, is directed to the dupes in the community who are hitting up dope into their bodies. Shooting dope is part of the death culture. When we do LSD, MDA, and other psychedelics, we do them to cleanse our minds of the shit Amerikan society sprays on us. Running dope is bogue. Needles are not a part of the new culture but rather a practice of junkies and the death culture. Cop a good rush. Please don't hit up dope; the rush isn't intense enough to make up for all the friends you loose and the possibility of death or hep. Cleanse your bodies, don't polute them. DEATH TO THE DEATH CULTURE. LIFE TO THE LIFE CULTURE. NO MORE NEEDLES IN OUR COMMUNITY!!!

Krazed Kulprit

DOPE

REVIEW



Sugar cube acid - killer hit for the money-eat the whole thing for only \$1.50 a hit.

Blotter acid - a good high energy buzz for \$1.50 a hit.

MESCALINE

Very little Mescaline in the area. Some new mescaline is currently being checked out because it is thought to be acid plus ? .

REEFER

Very little weed around because of the rip offs and a bust scare last week. What is here is good at \$10-\$15 a lid.

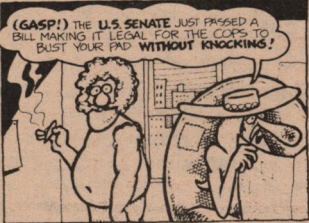
HASH

Good hash around, but hard to find in large quantity. Some red Lebanese and black slab hash going from \$70 - \$85 depending on the seller

PSILOCYBIN

Really good dope to get high on. The psilocybin ruse is that the brown hits are good. Previous stuff was not that good. Going at \$1.50 a hit

OZONE SPECIAL OF THE WEEK
MDA, the killer love drug. There has been some good MDA around but in very little quantity. Expect lots more to come into the community soon. Dig this beautiful drug being sold at \$2.00 a hit.



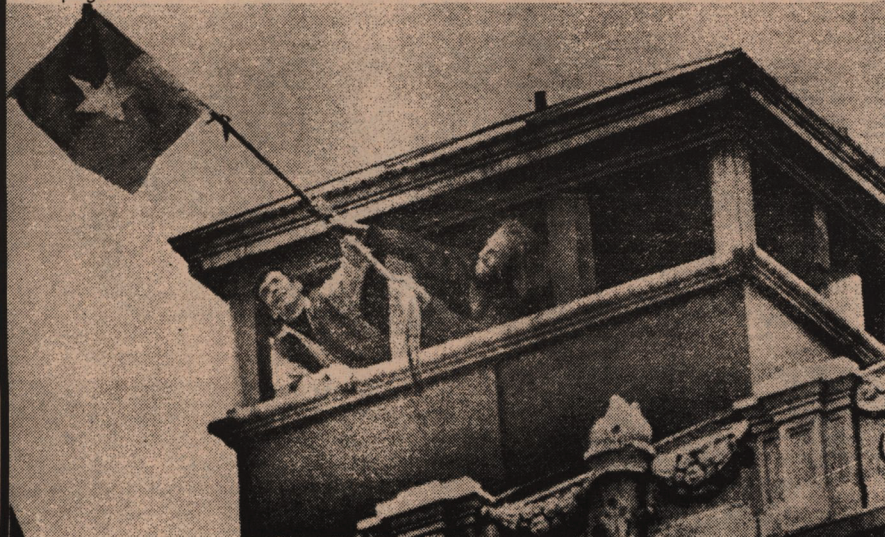
got the munchies?

Next time you get that good feeling in your head and that empty feeling in your tummy, ring the bell on us.

Grab your federally controlled communication device and dial 483-8000 or 484-0880.

The Domino People are Pizza People, Period.





WAR

Friday, Nov. 6., Rome. Italy 'took note' of the fact that Formosa is an 'inalienable part' of the Chinese mainland as it established diplomatic relations with China and recognized Peking 'as the only legal government of China.' American lackey Chiang quickly severed diplomatic relations with Italy and recalled his ambassador.

Monday, Nov. 2, Middle East. Arab students and teachers boycotted schools in the Israeli-occupied Gaza Strip on the 53rd anniversary of the Balfour Declaration--a document signed in 1917 pledging Britain to support the creation of a Jewish state in Palestine and which is the bogue basis for Israel's existence. Throughout the Middle East Arabs denounced the "treacherous document" and called for the liberation of Palestine.

Monday, Nov. 2, Trenton, N.J. For three days black people have been rebelling against the occupation of their community. The pigs have declared a curfew, sealed off the community, and arrested over 200 citizens.

Monday, Nov. 2, Auburn, Ny. 1700 inmates of the Auburn State Prison defied authorities and refused to work in honor of Black Solidarity Day.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, Detroit. In an otherwise dull election, Detroiters overwhelmingly (63%) endorsed an immediate cease-fire and withdrawal of all US troops from Vietnam.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, New York. A 54-year-old woman was arrested along with her son and four other alleged Weathermen for conspiracy to commit arson and possession of explosives and marijuana. Power to the Mothers.

Tuesday, Nov. 3, Santiago, Chile. Seeing the handwriting on the wall with the election of the Marxist Allende as president, the US is closing its Air Force station in Chile.

Wednesday, Nov. 4, London. Zambia, Uganda, Tanzania, India, Pakistan and Ceylon have threatened to kick Britain out of the Commonwealth or to quit themselves if Britain goes through with its plans to supply weapons to racist South Africa.

Thursday, Nov. 5, Manila. The US can't even trust its puppets. The government of the Philippines has again demanded that the US give up its navy base at Sangley Point.



Thursday, Nov. 5, Rio De Janeiro, Brazil. The Brazilian government, after "discovering a terrorist master plan," set up road blocks, required ID for all citizens, and arrested 4,000 suspected radicals. The plot was conveniently discovered just two weeks before the general elections.

Friday, Nov. 6, Ann Arbor. Because of discrimination against women in pay and hiring practices, the U of M has lost a HEW grant of \$400,000.

Friday, November 6, Lawrence, Kansas. Local hippie makes good. Phillip Hill was elected Justice of the Peace after running unopposed for the office. The admitted dope dealer said that anonymity was the key to his success. After the Attorney General of Kansas vowed to "pull the plug" on Phil, he voided Phil's election on the grounds that the J-P position state-wide had actually been abolished in 1968, even though no one noticed it. What jive!

Sunday, Nov. 8, Washington. The FBI is investigating reports that shots were fired at the president during demonstrations at his stoning in San Jose, California.

Sunday, Nov. 8, Detroit. The annual convention of the Episcopal Diocese of Michigan was quickly adjourned when members of Detroit's Gay Liberation Front demanded to speak to a resolution on homosexuality before the convention.

Sunday, November 8, Santa Barbara. A jury acquitted seven persons accused of burning down the pig Bank of Amerika at Isla Vista last winter. The jury was hung on four others so accused.

Sunday, Nov. 8, Stuttgart, Germany. Private James Hobson was acquitted of conspiracy to bomb but the Army managed to give him three months for disobeying an officer. Hobson, a Chicago black, was charged with bombing a building as a protest against racial discrimination in his outfit.

Sunday, Nov. 8, Henderson, N.C. National Guard troops occupied the black community to enforce a curfew after a night of rebellion by black residents.

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Mon. Nov. 9 Washington. The National Association of Secondary School Principals reported that in a recent period 53% of the nation's big city high schools were disrupted by strikes, picketing, or protest marches.

Mon. Nov. 9 Cairo, Ill. In Another one of a continuous attacks on the Black community by white vigilantes and pigs, a Black soldier and minister were shot. In apparent retaliation a lumberyard owned by the leader of the white vigilantes was burned to the ground.

It's REAL important that EVERY body CRUISE ON DOWN TO THE PEOPLE'S CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION IN WASHINGTON (where else but) NOV 27, 28 & 29

AND when Honks ask You what you're gonna replace IT with, NOW (You too) can GENUINELY SAY I'M making a NEW IMPROVED CONSTITUTION



NEWS

Monday, Nov. 9, Washington. The National Association of Secondary School Principals reported that in a recent period 53% of the nation's big-city high schools were disrupted by strikes, picketing, or protest marches.

Tuesday, Nov. 10, Rockville, Maryland. The son of the newly-elected lieutenant governor was one of six persons busted for dope --21 pounds of marijuana and two pounds of hash!

Tues. Nov. 10 Detroit. A Wayne Co. grand jury concluded that it did not have enough evidence to indict a Detroit pig who shot and killed an auto worker. Witnesses testified that the auto worker was first beaten by the pig and then shot to death while lying on the ground. Off the pig.



Tues. Nov. 10 Cairo. Yasser Arafat, Palestinian liberation leader, produced an ID card of a US marine killed in the Sept. civil war in Jordan and accused the US and the CIA of trying to engineer "the liquidation of the Palestnian resistance."

Wed. Nov. 11 Washington. Secretary of Defense Laird announced plans for a \$20 million program to provide new riot control equipment to the National Guard - including flak vests, shotguns, and face shields. The 320,000 man Guard has been used almost exclusively against Blacks, students and workers.

Wednesday, Nov. 11, Detroit. Judge Hague has asked that young people who pleaded guilty to charges stemming from last July's Balduck Park struggle should request trials since the prosecution has no case. A total of 212 persons were arrested, 27 charged, and only one convicted.

Thurs. Nov. 12 Calif. As a Marin Co. grand jury returned an indictment against Angela Davis on charges of murder, kidnapping and conspiracy, students at Sacramento College elected her honorary homecoming queen.

Friday, Nov. 13, Providence, Rhode Island. A sixteen-year-old boy was denied Eagle Scout status because he is an atheist. The scout leader said "We cannot in clear conscience allow any boy to join the ranks of Eagle Scouts who is an admitted atheist." That's all right; he can join the ranks of revolutionaries regardless of his religious beliefs.

Fri. Nov. 13 Santiago, Chile. Chile resumed diplomatic relations with Cuba, becoming the second nation in So. America to do so since the OAS expelled Cuba because of "ideological incompatibility."

Fri. Nov. 13 Cordoba, Argentina. Revolutionaries liberated a milk truck and distributed 2,400 quarts of milk free to the residents of a nearby slum. Serve the People.

Sat. Nov. 14 Guatamala City. Government officials imposed a state of seige following increased activity by the rebel armed forces and the shooting of four policemen.

Sat. Nov. 14 Montevideo, Uruguay. Two Tupamaro guerillas robbed the Bank of Uruguay, liberating it of \$6 million in jewels and cash. The bank was only 160 feet from the heavily guarded Ministry of the Interior which controls the national police.

Saturday, Nov. 14, Chicago. A US Court of Appeals ordered Judge Julius "Magoo" Hoffman to hold hearings to determine the nature of any communications between the judge or federal marshals and the jury in the Chicago conspiracy trial. Jurors have stated that Hoffman sent them two notes saying he would not accept a deadlock and the marshals supposedly told them that "The judge can keep you here as long as he wants." Having Hoffman investigate his own courtroom procedures should lead to the predictable result.



"The student movement is part of the whole people's movement. The upsurge of the student movement will inevitably promote an upsurge of the whole people's movement."

Chairman Mao



J. Edgar is watching you.

VILLAGE INN RIP-OFF...

The Village Inn has finally exposed itself as just one more business which pretends to be "hip" while in fact exploiting instead of serving the people. Behind that gay pizza parlor facade lies a tale of maltreatment of workers and discrimination against women.

The management over the past year has made sporadic efforts to purge the "longhairs" from its work force. However, they have never before quite had the guts to carry it off. People would be told to get haircuts and then the matter would be dropped.

Things came to a head this past week, however, as a new president took over the Indiana-based Village Inn chain. (The former president is now under indictment for allegedly having embezzled hundreds of thousands of dollars from the firm, and the staff's paychecks have been bouncing.) The new president, Daniel Bullock, appears determined to carry the purge through this time no matter what the cost. And he has the backing of the branch manager, Michael Schrock, who said he didn't like the new policies but wouldn't complain because he didn't want to lose his \$1000 a month job.

Last Thursday evening Jeff Jannett, Henry Scharg, and Mickey Gordon were told by Schrock that they were fired because their hair was too long. Peggy Fry and Paula Lindy, who had also been on the kitchen crew, were told that come Saturday they would no longer be able to work because the new boss didn't want women working in the kitchen at night.

A staff meeting was held on Saturday, November 14, while the public was kept out by a sign saying that there had been an "equipment malfunction." The 30 or so employees had the following new rules rapped down to them as they sat amazed:

--All men had to get white pants by Tuesday or they would be fired.

--All women--who would only be allowed to work as waitresses at night--had to have white blouses and navy blue or black skirts or they would be fired.

No more free beer would be given out to customers. Anyone whom Schrock even suspected of giving it out would be fired.

No more "chicks" could work at night making pizzas, although they could make them during the day. (No one has been able to figure out a reason for this.)

Employees would no longer be able to get free drinks, although they could still get pizzas at half price.



Counterattack

Normally businesses like the Village Inn can get away with anything they do to their employees. During a time when jobs are scarce it is even worse, since there are a lot of people who are desperate for work under any conditions. However, the freaks do not intend to sit back and be fired, or be forced to give up their cultural identity. Several steps are being taken.

Fry and Lindy are in the process of filing a complaint with the Ann Arbor Human Relations Commission. This city body is empowered to prevent sex discrimination in employment. How much will actually be done is another question, though. Usually human relations commissions are weak token agencies.

More powerful is the Michigan Civil Rights Commission. Schrock said on Saturday that "It's Bullock's business and he can do anything he wants with it," but he is wrong--corporate fascism hasn't made that much progress yet. (We hope.) The state Fair Employment Practices Act says:

It is an unfair employment practice for any employer, because any individual is between the ages of 35 and 60, or because of the sex of any individual, to refuse to hire or otherwise to discriminate against him with respect to hire, tenure, terms, conditions or privileges of employment. Any such refusal to hire or discrimination shall not be an unfair employment practice if based on law, regulation, the requirements of any federal or state training or employment program or on a bona fide occupational qualification and except in selecting individuals for an apprentice program or an on-the-job training program intended to have a duration of more than 4 months.

None of the exceptions apply; the Village Inn will have to defend itself in the next few weeks before the Civil Rights Commission on the grounds of sex discrimination.

The long-haired men also have rights, although it will be harder to enforce them. The Village Inn will probably claim that longhairs are health hazards because the hairs can drop in the pizzas, but hairnets are an accepted alternative to short hair for both men and women--and the men at the Village Inn usually wear hats anyway.

The staffers are not content to trust the law to defend their rights--rights are won by aggressive action. The obvious answer for the workers at the VI is a union. It is the common practice of businesses to threaten to fire any workers who try to unionize it, but the Village Inn may collapse completely if mass firings begin. In addition, workers forming a union can get protection if they know how to go about it.

Many people in our community had hopes that businesses like the Village Inn would serve as footholds for the new culture and as means for freaks to earn a living while maintaining their integrity. For the time being though, things have not worked out.

Home-made pizzas, anyone?



The shit coming down on the women and freaks at the Village Inn has gone far enough. Just because some capitalist thinks he has the absolute power to hire and fire is no reason for the community to put up with it.

Trusting to the law to correct wrongs is always a mistake--commissions and courts are literally stuffed with pigs of all degrees of porkiness. We should attack the problem directly.

The *Second Coming* calls first for a boycott of the Village Inn. No self-respecting person should patronize an establishment which treats its employees in such brutal ways.

Also, we suggest that some people get themselves together to picket the place. If groups are orderly and don't block customers, picketing even on "private land" like the VI grounds is legal.

We have to draw the line somewhere.

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dark room equipment, and cameras are desperately needed for the Second Coming. Anyone who can donate any equipment call Ken at 483 0647.

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Wednesday, November 18

White Panther workshops at Canterbury House.

Film Experience presents Antonioni's "L'Eclisse," Sill I.

Canterbury House presents Radical Film Series.

Ann Arbor Cinema Guild presents "Comanche Station," Architecture Auditorium, 7:00 & 9:05.

Dr. Robert Stern speaks on "US Foreign Trade Policy," 12:00 noon, Faculty Lounge, EMU.

Thursday, November 19

RHAA presents "Finian's Rainbow," FREE! 7 p.m. Pray-Harrold 123.

Rock and roll at Canterbury House. Godzilla and others that will rock your mind!

Mud Productions presents "Bogey Nite," with "Casablanca" and "The Maltese Falcon," 7:00 & 10:00, P-H 201.

Ann Arbor Cinema Guild presents "Pather Panchali," Architecture Auditorium, 8:00 & 9:05.

Friday, November 20

RHAA does it again. So does Mud.

Edgar Winter appears at the Eastown, gets down with the blues.

Leonard Cohen at the University of Detroit Memorial Building 8 p.m.

Saturday, November 21

Jane Fonda, Stooges, Alice Cooper, Damnation at University of Detroit.

Film Experience presents Antonioni's "Red Desert"

Mud brings the "Comedy Spectacular" to EMU. Special feature: "Mystery of the Leaping Fish."

Children's movies at Canterbury House. 12-4 p.m.!

"Salvation," a comedy musical, at East Lansing's Erikson Kiva Hall.

COSMIC CALENDAR

Sunday, November 22

Mud presents "Comedy Spectacular" again!

Monday, November 23

Kaleidoscope Konzert at Ford Auditorium. Pierre Hetu conducts "Detroit Aglow." Symphonic Metamorphosis. 8:30.

Tuesday, November 24

Tribal Council meeting, 7:30 in Gallery II of the Union, to discuss community ripoffs.

Wednesday, November 25

Eastown presents Savoy Brown and Black Sabbath.

Radical Film Series at Canterbury House.

Thursday, November 26

Today's Thanksgiving. Eat, drink, get high!!

Friday, November 27 - Sunday, November 29

Revolutionary People's Constitutional Convention, Washington DC.

Sunday, November 29

"Jaff 1970" presents B.B. King etc. at Cobo Arena, Detroit.

Monday, November 30

Everybody starts back to school. Whoopee.

Tuesday, December 1

Get high, people! It's time to celebrate the new constitution and get down.

Wednesday, December 2

Film Experience presents "Pather Panchali" at EMU.

Radical Film Series at Canterbury House.

Thursday, December 3

Mud Productions presents "Strawberry Statement" at 7:00 & 10:00, P-H 201. Far-out flick!

Free flicks! RHAA presents "Cool Hand Luke," P-H 213, 7:00.

Friday, December 4

RHAA does it again! So does Mud! Unbelievable!

Laura Nyro appears in Detroit at U of D Memorial Building.

Candy Apple Coffeehouse presents Michael Cooney and Custer's Last Band at McKenny Union. Get high again!

Film Experience presents the flick "Aparajitol." Don't miss it!

Mud Productions gets weird tonight. All kinds of bizarre movies for all you bizarre people.

Saturday, December 5

Mud reaches into the bizarre again tonight!

Sunday, December 6

Even though there's not too much to do today, you can still get high!

Continuing Events

Planetarium demonstrations at the Exhibit Museum at U of M. Open daily 9-5 and Sunday 1:30-5:30.

Nature freeks, go romping through the Botanical Gardens. It's still warm enough to do if you want to!

Don't forget to see "Performance" with Mick Jagger at the Campus. Will weird you out.

This is your last chance to see "Hair." It ends this week at the Vest Pocket Theatre.

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